

FRENCH OCCUPY MANNHEIM AND CARLSRUHE

PRO-UTILITIES
CHARGE AGAINST
ILL. COMMISSION

Atty. Kelier Home from
Big Meeting of
Protest.

Charges that the Illinois Public Utilities Committee was "pro-utilities" instead of being "pro-public," as the lawmakers evidently had intended it to be when they framed the legislation creating the body, were made before the Senate utilities committee Tuesday afternoon, at a meeting of about 250 representatives of over 100 municipalities of the state, which meeting Attorney Mark Keller of Dixon and Dr. F. M. Bunker of Franklin Grove returned yesterday.

The charges were made in connection with pleas by the representatives of the municipalities that the law giving being to the utilities commission be amended so that individual cities and villages may have some voice in the framing of contracts with the public utilities concerns.

Many Wanted Repeal

When over 200 representatives of the various cities and villages met at the Leland Hotel Tuesday morning to outline their plan of campaign before the Senate committee, it was found that everyone of those municipalities had suffered the same treatment from the state commission. It was pointed out that many cities had complaints similar to that of Springfield; that although the two years ago had won a case before the commission in a fight for lower rates, the commission had failed as yet to enter an order putting into effect the lower rates, and the people of the state capital were still paying the higher.

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OFF AGAIN, ON
AGAIN—RUBAN

Several passengers and the crew on the interurban car leaving here at nine o'clock this morning were given quite a scare as the car approached the River road crossing just west of the Borden milk factory when the rails spread and the big 104 car left the rails. The fact that the motorman had the car well under control and was slowing down for the crossing is doubtless account for the car not turning over on its side and injuring several people.

Two big telephone posts were snapped off and the wires fell to the ground when the car left the rails and started down the steep grade to the south of the track. A car was sent to the scene at once and brought the passengers back to Dixon. A force of men were then taken out and began the work of replacing the heavy car on the track and repairing the damage. The car was not damaged and none of the passengers hurt. This is the fourth derailment that has occurred on this line this week.

Few War Contracts
Have Been Cancelled

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 20.—Settlement of claims involving detailed inventories and reviews of accounts is slowly up cancellation of war contracts, the war department announced today in a statement which showed that of \$2,941,000,000 in contracts recommended for cancellation the actual closing out had reached a total of \$185,132,068 on February 27.

It was disclosed also that explosives valued at \$12,000,000 had been transferred from surplus stocks to the interior department for land clearing, road building and similar work, and that more than half of the billion and a half pounds of surplus sodium nitrate valued at \$57,000,000 would be disposed of for agricultural and commercial purposes, the remainder to be held for the present by the ordnance department.

Mormon Missionaries
Released By Bandits

MORMON MISSIONARIES

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Juarez, Mexico, March 20.—A telegram was received here today from Bishop A. B. Call of the Mormon settlement at Colonia Dublan, stating Bishop J. C. Bentley, head missionary; James T. Whetten and Albert Tietjen, another Mormon, had been released by Francisco Villa's troops, and had arrived at a logging camp 60 miles south of Colonia Dublan and 185 miles below the border.

Hitchcock Calls on
Pershing in France

Washington, D. C., March 20.—Republican leaders were speculating today on a Coblenz, Germany, dispatch, announcing that Frank H. Hitchcock, former postmaster general and manager of the successful Taft campaign, was a spectator at Pershing's review of troops. He is quoted as saying he was "merely on a sight-seeing trip." The state department has announced that passports are not being issued to sightseers.

Three Steamers Back
with Yankee Troops

Newport News, Va., March 20.—Bringing 659 men of the 114th Machine Gun battalion of the 30th (Old Hickory) division, the transport Princess Matoika arrived here today from St. Nazaire, France. One hour later the Rijnland arrived from the same port with the 133rd field artillery, 36th (Lone Star) division. The ships raced across the Atlantic. Soldiers are said to have helped in the fire and engine rooms.

M. O. Hartzell of Polo, was here Wednesday on business.

Weather

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; colder Friday and in north and west portions tonight.

A. P. Armington, cashier of the Dixie National bank, is expected to return this evening from the east where he was called by the death of his mother.

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**START WORK ON
NEW CHURCH IN
MAYTOWN PARISH**

Another landmark disappeared from Lee county this week when the old St. Patrick's church at Maytown was torn down. The old frame structure was built in 1875 and the majority of the parishioners will remember the difficult times and hardships they underwent to erect the modest structure in God's honor. Money was scarce, roads were bad and distances were long. All this has changed and Maytown will soon have a new brick church, second to none in surrounding towns. The pastor, Rev. C. J. Kirkfleet, reports that he expects to pay for the new building as it goes up, since less than half the parish has already subscribed nearly \$8,000. Members of the building committee are: Rev. Kirkfleet, W. J. Sharkey, A. H. Montavon, Michael Dullen, Thomas McGovern, Louis Fairview and B. B. Friel.

**Home Talent Play
at Compton, Mar. 29**

Compton, Ill., March 19.—The following is the cast of characters for the presentation of the home talent play, "The Call of the Colors," at the Compton opera house on Saturday evening, March 29:

Mrs. Hillard, head of the gauze room—Emma Fox.

Sallie Palmer, in charge of the desk—Faunetta Thompson.

Miriam Thorpe, who goes to France—Aureole Palsgrove.

Lee Somers—Marguerite Carnahan. Lois Moore—Lulu Schnickle. Laura Jones—Ruth Card.

Miss Smith, a mystery—Amy Eddy.

A Visitor, who does not approve—Mabel Cook.

Cecile Deering, whose chateau is a hospital—Emma Fox.

Vilette, a French peasant girl—Marguerite Carnahan.

Sergeant Hilton, of the Royal Rifles—Wilder Richardson.

Harrison Ray, civilian—Robert Richardson.

Billy, not yet enlisted—Forrest Merriman.

Rudolph, Hilton's "watch dog," by himself.

The scene of the play is in America and in France during the great war. The seats for the performance have been placed on sale at the First National Bank.

Compton Briefs.

Mrs. J. W. Banks visited in Paw Paw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chaon were Chicago visitors the first of the week.

Guy Archer went to Chicago Tuesday for a short visit.

Mrs. Calie Miller visited her sister Mrs. U. V. Welton, of Hinkley a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dishongh were the recipients of a box of grape fruit and oranges last week, sent by Mr. and Mrs. Alex Beemer, who are spending the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

**Brief Summary of
Last Night's News**

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris—The supreme council decided to request the Poles and Ukrainians to cease hostilities.

London—The Bolsheviks attacked Morjegorskaya, south of Archangel, but were repulsed, according to dispatch received here.

Paris—The American delegation plans to accept a limited number of amendments to the League of Nations covenant.

London—There are unconfirmed reports of a revolution of the Mensheviks in Petrograd.

Jefferson City, Mo.—U. S. Senator James A. Reed was called upon to resign his senate seat, in resolutions adopted by fifty democrat members of the Missouri house.

New York—Typhoid is being spread through Siberia by Russians returning from German prisons, according to a cable message.

Paris—A report that Premier Clemenceau had resigned is denied in official quarters.

**SISTER OF DIXON
MEN DEAD IN EAST**

Word was received yesterday of the death of Miss Maud Crouse, sister of Charles and Harry Crouse of this city. The young lady who has visited here was in a hospital at Philadelphia where she was completing a course and would have graduated soon as a registered nurse. She was about twenty-one years of age. One brother, Harry Crouse, left Dixon yesterday afternoon for Gettysburg, where the funeral will be held and the body laid to rest.

"The News While It Is News" in the Evening Telegraph.

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SOLDIERS' LETTERS

FROM THOS. ROSSITER.
Harold Rossiter, 804 Hamilton avenue, this city, is in receipt of the following letter from his brother, Thomas Rossiter, who is on active service with the A. E. F., in France:

Sampigny, France,
January 22, 1919.

Dear Brother:

Your most welcome letter came to day and I was glad to hear from you but was a little surprised to know that you have not been mustered out yet as I thought sure that you and Frank would be home before now. Well, Denny, things over here are about the same as ever. We sure have all kinds of work to do over here yet and I am afraid that coming home time is quite a little ways off yet, but believe me Harry when that time comes it will be a happy day for me. You cannot imagine how I want to get back and see you all and if I could do as you said in your letter, take the next boat, I would sure be there.

We are sure having a funny winter over here. It has only snowed once and then if melted about as fast as it came down. The only time it freezes is a little at night and by 10 o'clock the next day everything is mud again. A fellow could have worked every day so far in his shirt sleeves. I suppose where you are it is not cold either. The mild weather over here is certainly a good thing though, for some of the French people here have to live under awful conditions.

Harry, I hate to hear about you and Frank being sick. You want to take the best care of yourselves. I have been pretty lucky of late and have been feeling fine. I hear from all the folks quite regular and according to their letters they are all well. Do you hear from Frank often? I got two letters from him two weeks ago.

I am glad that there are some Dixon boys there with you. I met a fellow from Dixon today, it is George somebody, I can't think of his last name but he used to work for Walter Geiger. Was surprised to hear that you had a motorcycle. What is it an Indian? I will have to try it out Denny when I get back.

You asked me in your letter about the country over here. Well, some of it is pretty well shot up. You can never realize it without having seen it. I will try to send you some pictures of it that I have got. I was up in Germany and Belgium aways. That sure has some swell country up there and in southern France, too. I will try and tell you something about it when I get back on all of them.

Well, Denny, writing letters over here is an awful job so I think that I will quit for now, so take the best of care of yourself and I think soon that we will be back home together and then we will make up for lost time. Am going to send you a piece of German money and a picture. Be good till I see you. With love.

TOM.

**Pershing Completes
Inspection of Yanks**

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Coblenz, Tuesday, March 18.—(Delayed)—General Pershing completed his official call on the troops in the occupied area of Germany today, devoting the forenoon to an inspection and review of the fourth corps at Cochem-Moselle and the afternoon to a review of the Fourth division near the same town.

After the review this afternoon the commander-in-chief complimented the officers of the division, which fought in three great battles of the American armies. The second Marne, St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne—on the splendid appearance of the men and expressed the hope that the troops would all be back home soon.

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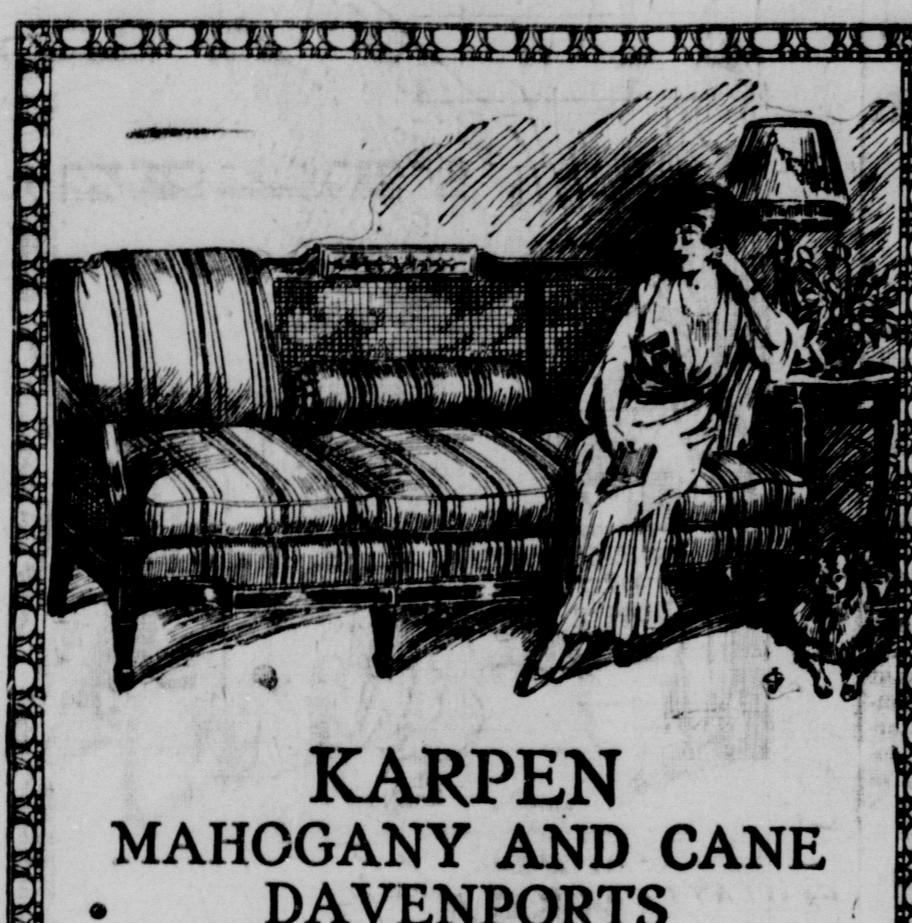
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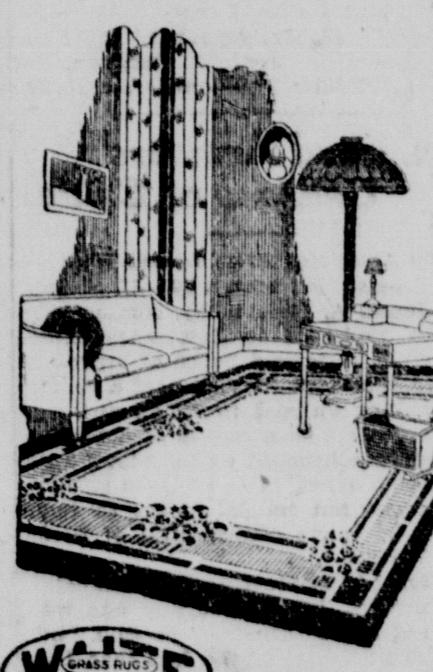
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Monthly Report of the Palmyra Co-Operative Cow-Testing Association

By E. G. THIEM, Tester

The second months' work during which 474 cows were tested in 29 herds, has brought out a number of interesting facts. The average milk production for the month of February was 27.8 lbs. of milk per cow a day—an increase of nearly 10% over that of January. The average test for all the cows tested was approximately 3.6%. The average butterfat production for 28 days was 27.62 lbs. per cow; that of milk was 778 lbs. for the same length of time. Between twenty and thirty low producing cows were culled out during the months of January and February, and several scrub bulls have made room for pure-breds. Dairymen and others who milk cows in this community are coming to see the value of keeping records on their cows and of feeding cows balanced rations according to their production. At the present high prices of feeds, the business of dairying demands more close attention to its details and to proper methods of feeding, than in times past. And yet there are hundreds of dairymen right in our midst who are feeding haphazardly, without the use of a pair of scales to assist them in feeding accurately according to each cow's production. Others are still trying to dairy with scrubs or with beef cattle which have not been developed for high milk production. Then, too, there are those who look upon their venture in dairying as a disagreeable chore to be given as little time and attention as possible.

Those in the latter class are not only hurting themselves, but their shortsightedness serves in many cases as propaganda to make the other dairyman discontented with his lot.

Several in this community quite recently have asked concerning the object of a cow-testing association. Some of the things for which cow-testing associations work, follow:

- 1.—To create a desire among their members for better cows.
- 2.—To learn the real value of each individual cow in the herd as an economical milk producer.
- 3.—To educate their members if necessary in right methods of feeding and in the use of balanced rations.
- 4.—To produce milk more economically.

There are many more practical advantages derived from joining a cow-testing association that are too numerous to mention here.

Due to an ever-increasing demand for association work by dairymen of this community, the Palmyra association hopes to increase its membership to such proportions as to require the services of another tester. All those who are interested should write E. G. Thiem, care of J. C. Wadsworth, Dixon, Ill. for information.

Individual highest records of production for the month of February follow:

Cow	Owner	Breed	Milk	Test	Fat
Pauline	E. M. Detweiler	PBH	1806	3.8	68.63
Alice	E. M. Detweiler	PBH	1646	3.7	60.90
Clothilde	E. M. Detweiler	PBH	1803	3.2	57.70
Bertha	Hill Den Farm	PBH	1333	4.5	59.99
Grandma	Harvey Downing	GH	1266	4.2	53.17
Brindle	Lloyd Ebersole	GS	1229	4.2	51.62

Herd records of Production follow:

Owner	Breed	Ave. Milk	Ave. Test	Ave. Fat
E. M. Detweiler	PBH	1218	3.5	42.63
Lloyd Ebersole	G.H.	1033	3.4	35.39
Dan Gilbert	PBH	991	3.4	33.69
Louis Scholl	G.H.	952	3.4	32.37

Former Kaiser Fled to Save Fatherland

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Berlin, March 20.—(Via Copenhagen.)—Aroused by recent criticisms of former emperor William regarding his flight from Germany to Holland last fall, Field Marshal Von Hindenburg has prepared and published here a defense of the ex-ruler's actions. Depicting the situation as it existed in November, caused by the weakening of the army, the doubtful reliability of the forces in the field and the breaking out of the revolution at home, the field marshal writes:

"The peaceful return home of the emperor then became impossible. It could only have been carried out through forceful employment of loyal troops and civil war would have been added to the hostilities with the enemy.

"The emperor have betaken himself to the fighting troops in order to meet death at their head in a last attack upon the enemy, but the armistice so keenly desired by the people would thereby have been postponed and the lives of many soldiers uselessly sacrificed. The emperor finally in agreement with his advisers and after a severe mental struggle, decided to leave the country solely in the hope that he could thereby best serve the fatherland,

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English Experts to Make Flight Plans

By Associated Press Leased Wire

St. Johns, N. F. D., March 20.—A party of air men and meteorological experts from England has arrived here to conduct observations on air conditions in connection with plans for trans-Atlantic flights. They expect to remain several months making a thorough study of wind currents and meteorological conditions generally through the spring and summer. Members of the party have been assigned to visit various parts of the island to fix upon the most suitable point from which to conduct observations.

The announcement from England that Harry S. Hawker, one of the leading air pilots of that country, has already shipped a machine to Newfoundland with a view to attempting a flight across the ocean in the near future, aroused great interest here. Dominion officials said they had no information regarding the plan, but that they were prepared to accord the aviator every assistance in the development of his project.



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Here is the single-breasted waist-seam overcoat with vertical pockets; very stylish

This is a back view of a single-breasted waist-seam suit; it has slanting pockets.

The double-breasted waist-seam suits are extremely popular. Two buttons; vertical pockets.

The Waist-Seam Style's the Thing

Men coming back from the army or navy find they can't wear the clothes they "left behind them"—trousers too large at the waist; coats too small across the shoulders and chest.

A new type of men comes back to us; clothes have to be designed for them.

We have just the clothes they need—lots of them. They have the military look, but they're business suits. Suits, overcoats, single and double breasted; ready in all sizes. Some are priced as low as \$20, others to \$55—we lay particular emphasis on our assortments at \$30, \$35, \$40 and \$45.

We're as well prepared with the knickerbocker suits for the younger boys—handsomely styled, durable fabrics. We recommend our Steel-Fibre suits for boys; they have the double seat and knee feature that adds weeks to the life of the suit.

See the values we offer at

\$10 \$12 \$15 \$18 \$20



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DIXON
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Society

COMING EVENTS

Thursday

St. James Aid—Mrs. Emma Geisler, 611 Hennepin Ave.
E. R. B. Class—Mrs. Julia Hubbard, 321 E. Chamberlain St.
Girls of Luther League—German Lutheran Church.
Unity Guild—Mrs. Charles Herrick.
La-la-Lot Club—Mr. LeRoy Buhler
Sunshine Class Meeting—Mrs. L. C. Johnson, 403 N. Dement Ave.
Girls' Drill Team, W. C. O. F.—K. C. Hall.

Friday

W. C. T. U. Institute—Baptist Church.
C. C. Circle—Mrs. J. H. Dunaway.
Eastern Star Meeting—Masonic Hall.
St. Agnes' Guild—Mrs. T. W. Fuller, Section 7, M. E. Aid—Church.

Saturday

Civic Welfare Lecture at Woman's Club—Miller Hall.

Tuesday

Hamilton Whist Club—Mrs. J. W. Stephens.

Fine Program for Elks Children's Eve

The annual Elks children's party will be given tomorrow evening at the club rooms. The program was completed at a meeting of the various ladies committees held last evening, and arrangements were completed to entertain a large number of little ones. The children's party is an annual affair given by the lodge and is exclusively for the children of members of the lodge.

The program as arranged last evening is as follows:

Saxophone Solo—Hughes Brewster, Folk Dance—Group of Children.

Vocal Solo—Miss Francis Campbell, accompanist, Miss Alice Powell.

Folk Dance—Seven Little Girls, Mother Goose Playlet.

De Haven Junior Quartette.

Game—Children under nine years of age.

Grand March.

Following the grand march, the children will form in a line and march to the dining room where the house committee will serve light refreshments. They will then return to the hall where music will be provided by the Rice orchestra for the dancing which will be enjoyed at the conclusion of the evening festivities. The program will start promptly at 7:30.

CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY

Mrs. F. M. Derby entertained very pleasantly yesterday afternoon the members of the Congregational Womans' Missionary society. This was "Home Mission Day" and two very excellent papers were given, one by Miss Nowell on mission activities in the state for the past year, and the other, "In Mountains and Mills," read by Miss Willis.

KINGDOM COMMUNITY AID

'Tis the Kingdom Community Aid society, and the Kingdom-Bend Aid society no longer. The change was voted at yesterday's meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Gale Hoover. The meeting was an enjoyable one with readings furnished by Mrs. Chas. Floto and instrumental music by the Misses Marie Miller and Dorothy Hoover. The next meeting will be held in Dixon with Mrs. H. W. Stevens.

FORMER PASTOR HERE

Rev. A. J. Myers, of Blairstown, Pa., and a former pastor of the South Dixon United Evangelical church, is here visiting old friends. He was a guest today at the George McWethy home of the Kingdom and tomorrow will be entertained at the A. W. Hartman home of South Dixon.

FOR SPECIAL SERVICE

The Junior choir of the Methodist church is to take part in the special music for the Woman's Foreign Mis-

sions Thanksgiving service, to be held at the church Sunday morning.

Miss Evelyn Street will have a solo and other members will have interesting parts.

M. E. JUNIOR CHOIR

All members of the Junior choir of the Methodist church are requested to be at the Friday rehearsal to be held at the church at 4:15 p. m., in order to prepare for the special service Sunday.

TO GIVE DINNER PARTY

Mrs. Harry Roe, Mrs. E. J. Countryman, and Mrs. A. A. Rowland will entertain with a dinner party at the home of Mrs. Roe this evening for Mr. and Mrs. E. H. English.

ST. PAUL'S CHOIR

St. Paul's choir members will meet for rehearsal at the church at 7:30 Friday evening.

MRS. WILBUR HERE

Mrs. Hawley Wilbur, of Waukesha, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and M. C. A. Dement.

JUNIOR CLASS TO PRESENT COMEDY

The Junior class of the Dixon High school will present a play, "The Arrival of Kitty," at the opera house on Friday evening, April 25. Those in the cast have been working hard for the past several days and under the direction of Prof. Feister, are rapidly developing fine talent in the interpretation of their parts. The play is a farce comedy in three acts, with a good plot that maintains the hearer's interest throughout. The cast of characters is announced follows:

William Winkler, Vernon Attenderfer, Aunt Jane, his sister, Madeline Coover.

Jean, his niece, Marcella Kent, Bobbie Baxter, Jean Heinze, Benjamin Moore, William Wickley, Ling, a bell boy, Richard Kreitzer.

Sam, a college porter, Edwin Slothower.

Kitty, an actress, Ruth Kerz.

Suzette, Aunt Jane's maid, Alice Byers.

MARRIED THIS MORNING

Fred R. Hilger of Mt. Morris and Miss Lillian Felsner of Polo were united in marriage at 10 o'clock this morning at St. Paul's Lutheran parsonage by Rev. F. D. Altman, pastor of the church, the ring ceremony being used. They were accompanied by Samuel Lehman of this city and Miss Bessie Hilger of Mt. Morris, a sister of the groom. They will make their home on a farm near Mt. Morris.

AT DINNER

Mrs. George Garrett, of Ashton, and Mrs. Harry Emmer, of Franklin Grove, will be dinner guests this evening of Miss Gertrude Castle and her father.

FOR MRS. ENGLISH

Mrs. Hugh Rogers entertained a few friends Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. H. English. A dainty luncheon was served and all had a most enjoyable time.

DINNER FRIDAY

Tomorrow is the day, and not Saturday, for the dinner to be given at the Baptist church. The serving of the dinner will begin at 11:30 a. m.

WITH MRS. GOODSELL

Mrs. Thomas Ames, of Clinton, Iowa, was last evening to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.

M. E. SENIOR CHOIR

Mrs. Edwards, director of the Methodist choir, will be pleased to meet the members of the Senior choir at the church at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening.

KENDALL MEMBERS SEW

The members of the Kendall club are meeting this afternoon at the Red Cross shop in the second floor of The Telegraph building.

RETURN TO CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Lerdall returned to Chicago Tuesday after a brief visit here with the latter's mother, Mrs. A. J. Steacy.

FROM FRANKLIN GROVE

Miss Gertrude Albrecht of Franklin Grove is a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Witzel.

VISITS IN LANSING

F. D. Smith of the E. C. Kennedy Music store, has gone to Lansing, Mich., to visit his wife and his mother. He expects to return to Dixon Monday.

DAY IN ELDENA

Mrs. Clyde Mossholder is spending today in Eldena with her husband's people, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Mossholder.

IN SUBLLETTE

Glenn White of this city, is spending some time at the home of his brother, Albert White of Sublette.

HAMILTON CLUB

A meeting of the Hamilton Whist club will be held the coming Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Stephens.

WATERWAY BONDS PROPOSED

By Associated Press Leased Wire Springfield Ill., March 20—Plans of the Republican majority of the house contemplate sessions five days a week after the April election, it was learned today. The lower branch will be called to order at 5 p. m. on each Monday afternoon and the legislative grind will go on until Friday morning when a short session will be held for advancement of bills, according to members of the house steering committee.

Representative W. H. H. Miller, of Champaign, introduced a resolution this week calling for five day sessions, and the measure was referred to the rules committee.

Steering committee members accuse Miller of learning of the majority plan to "speed up" and stealing their thunder.

Whether the senate will find it necessary to hold over Friday to keep up with the house program was undetermined.

Both houses were in session today.

WATERSIDE BONDS PROPOSED

By Associated Press Leased Wire Springfield Ill., March 20—Bills authorizing the issuance of four per cent waterway bonds in the sum of \$20,000,000 and appropriating the same amount to carry out the intent of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf waterway measure, pending in committee, were introduced simultaneously by Senator Thurlow G. Estes of Streator and Representative Charles A. Gregory of Lovington. Other bills provide for a re-survey of the Illinois and Michigan canal to establish "land limits" in the event that it is found advisable to use the old canal in places as part of the waterway. The bond issues authorized by popular vote was for \$20,000,000.

The senate today advanced the committee boxing bill, reported out by the license and miscellany committee to the third reading without opposition after it had been amended to permit newspaper decisions.

Pay Probe Bill

Senator Dailey's bill appropriating \$5,000 for expenses of the senate "centrally" investigation was passed by the senate.

A resolution introduced by Senator John J. Bothman of Chicago would prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors for sacramental and medical purposes after the nation goes "dry."

The house 133 to 0 passed Senator Hughes' bill permitting unregistered soldiers and sailors to vote at the April election provided they have been in military service 30 days previous to the election. The bill proposes safeguarding against frauds.

Fair Bills Passed

Representative Smejkal's bills appropriating \$462,920 for state fair expenses, the biennium beginning July 1, next, and \$28,000 for deficiency expense of the 1918 fair, was passed.

The bill of Senator Dailey permitting counties to file supplemental budgets was advanced to third reading by the house.

Action on senate bills giving soldiers preference on civil service lists were held on second reading in the house after Representative Snell of Carlinville had objected that the measures should reach men sent to camps and later returned to their homes because of physical disability.

Senator John Dailey, chairman of the joint committee to investigate the alleged combine of manufacturers to fix prices, said meetings of the committee would be held Friday and Saturday in Chicago.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

COMBINATION SALE—Ben Baus' feed barn, Thursday, March 27th at 10:30 a. m. Horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, 1 team of mules, 9 years old, farm machinery, buggies, harness and household goods.

If you have anything to sell list your property early. Ira Rutt, Auctioneer, Clifford Gray, Clerk.

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FOR SALE—One seed and corn planter, both in good condition. Cheap if taken at once. Ray R. Springer, Dixon, Ill. R. 3, Box 17, near the Country club.

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FOR SALE—12 wood filing cases 1 new Remington typewriter. Lee County Exemption Board third floor court house.

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FOR SALE—Ford touring car. Buick touring car, C. E. Mossholder, 120 E. 1st St., Dixon 1967.

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FOR SALE—Nice bright shredded fodder also baled wheat straw. Phone 53600. Glen Swarts.

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FOR SALE—Barn and five-passenger touring car in good condition. Inquire Phone Y1165.

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FOR RENT—5 room flat, 2nd floor with small garden. Opposite Milk Factory. Phone K615.

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FOR SALE—Beautiful seven-passenger automobile in excellent condition. Address A. W. this office.

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WANTED—Room and board for two girls. Answer "X Y Z" care Telegraph.

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LOST—Child's bicycle on river bank at N. Ottawa Ave. Will finder kindly phone No. 142.

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WANTED—Sewing to do at my home. Call at 207 Madison Ave. Mrs. Bedient.

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months, \$2.75; three months, \$1.75;
one month, \$.60.; all payable strict-
ly in advance.

GUARD YOUR MONEY.

There have been at no time in our
history so many worthless stock pro-
positions promoted as there are now,
says Louis Guenther, editor of the Pe-
nancial World.

The country is essentially wealthy
and a great deal of this wealth has
been brought into active circulation as
a result of the successive Liberty Loan
offerings.

The great majority of Liberty bond-
holders never heretofore had any expe-
rience in investments, and consequently
have become easy prey to promises of
larger income and dividends, unless pro-
tected from their own folly by capable
advisers.

Their financial misadventures are an
economic loss to us, since disastrous in-
vestment kills off enthusiasm for in-
vestment in legitimate and honest en-
terprises.

How can the small investor be as-
sisted in discriminating between dubious
and legitimate stock propositions?

This is easy, if the simple advice is
followed that before letting go of a dol-
lar of his capital, the investor insist upon
a detailed financial statement instead
of depending upon the unsupported as-
sertions of stock salesmen or prospec-
tives.

If such a statement is refused, it is safe
to say in nine cases out of ten that
there is something rotten in Denmark.

The tenth chance may well be missed
in order to avoid falling into the other
nine pitfalls.

After such a financial statement is se-
cured, the investor can consult a reputa-
ble banker, who will be glad to analyze
it and express an opinion whether it
comes within the provision of honesty
and legitimacy, which is all an investor
can ask.

After all, the greater part of an in-
vestment is built upon the moral char-
acter and honesty of purpose of those
who sponsor it.

These are the assets protecting the
investor from deliberate fraud, even
though it is impossible to guarantee
him against loss through misfortunes
overtaking an industry.

Adelina Starks is
Back in the City

Mrs. Adelina Starks, colored, who was
late last fall, said to have left not only
Dixon but Lee county at the request
of the state's attorney and the sheriff,
is again in our midst. She has again
sought out quarters east of Dixon in the
vicinity of the cement plant, it is said,
and calls on her husband, Sam Starks,
at the county jail quite often. Sam will
receive his liberty again about May 10.
Apparently Mrs. Starks did not leave
as requested, but only went on a short
visit.

Mendota Reporter Has
Changed Hands Again

The Mendota Reporter, one of the
oldest weekly papers in this part of
the state, formerly owned by Otto Kies-
elbaugh has been sold to George Nisley
and William Leiser, formerly of the
Sun-Bulletin of that city.

Messrs. Nisley and Leiser have been
in the newspaper game at Mendota for
nearly 30 years and have been promi-
nently identified with the Sun-Bulletin.

Prominent Reynolds
Citizen is Called

Frederick William Erbes, well-known
resident of Reynolds township died at
his home on March 9th. He was 62
years of age and survived by his widow
and six children as follows: Charlotte,
Louise, John, Emery, Ella and Fred-
erick, Jr.

The funeral was held at Scarborough,
with interment in the cemetery there.

LAND.

Anyone wishing to buy a farm in
Dakota at a bargain should com-
municate with Wadsworth Land Co.,
Langdon, N. D.

"The News While It Is News" in the
Evening Telegraph.

GREAT AIRSHIPS

Great Britain Will Build Two With
Lifting Power of 80 Tons—800
Feet Long.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, Eng., March 20.—After suc-
cessful trials of new British dirigibles,
of the rigid type of construction, the
government, according to the Mail, has
ordered the building of two enormous
airships. Each will be 800 feet in
length and will have a capacity of three
million cubic feet. They will be driven
by six engines which will generate a
total of 1,800 horse-power and, it is said,
will have a lifting power of 80 tons
compared with 29 tons, the largest load
carried by any known to be in existence.

Names of Eighteen
Illinois Men Given

The names of seven Illinois soldiers
were included in the casualty report re-
leased for publication this afternoon by
the war department, the summary of
which is: Killed in action, 7; died from
wounds, 7; died of accident and other
causes, 24; died of disease, 47; wounded
slightly, 121. Total, 206.

The morning report named eleven
men from this state. Summary: Died
of accident and other causes, 33; died
of disease, 57; wounded severely, 11;
missing in action, 2; wounded (degree
undetermined), 26; wounded slightly,
109. Total, 238.

\$60,000 Bond Issue
to Repair Highways

Voters of Buffalo township, Ogle
county, will pass on the proposition of
issuing bonds in the sum of \$60,000 for
repairing and building hard roads in
the township at the regular election on
April 1. It is believed the bond issue
will be carried by a large majority.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order and decree of
the County Court of Lee County, Illinois,
made on the petition of the undersigned
George W. Hill, Public Administrator of
Lee County, acting as Administrator
of the Estate of Oscar Beline Olson,
deceased, for leave to sell the
Real Estate of said deceased at the
March Term, A. D. 1919, of said Court,
to-wit: on the 17th day of March 1919.

Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday
the 19th day of April, 1919 at the
hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of
said day, at the premises hereinafter
described in the village of Steward, County
of Lee and State of Illinois, the following
described real estate belonging
to the estate of Oscar Beline Olson, de-
ceased, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north
line of Steward Avenue, in the Village of
Steward, Lee County, Illinois, sixty-
six (66) feet north of the north line of
Block No. Two, in the Township. Addition to
Steward, and at the intersection of said
Steward Avenue with the west line of
the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington
and Quincy Railroad Company; thence
west along the north line of said
Avenue, one hundred ninety-eight (198)
feet to a stake; thence due north two
hundred forty-one (241) feet to a stake
situated on the west line of the right
of way of said Railway Company; thence
along the right of way of said railway
in a southeasterly direction to the place
of beginning the same being a part of
the southeast quarter of Section Fifteen (15), Town
Thirty-nine (39), North Range Two,
East of the Third Principal Meridian, in
Lee County, Illinois, will be sold to the
highest and best bidder.

Terms of Sale.

Fifteen per cent of amount bid to be
paid in cash on day of sale and balance
upon approval of report of sale and
deed of title.

GEORGE W. HILL,
Public Administrator of Lee County,
acting as Administrator of said Estate.

March 20, 1919.

Dixon & Dixon, Attorneys.

Mch 20-27-Apr-3-19

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Joseph F. Palmer, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been ap-
pointed Executrix of the said Will and
Testament of Joseph F. Palmer late of
the County of Lee, and State of Illinois,
hereby gives notice that she will appear
before the County Court of Lee County,
at the Court House in Dixon, at the June
Term, on the first Monday in June
next, at which time all persons having
claims against said Estate are notified
and requested to attend for the purpose
of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said Estate
are requested to make immediate pay-
ment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of March, A. D.

ESTELLA J. OSBORN,
Mch 20-27-3 Executrix

MEN-THO-EZE
Relieves Spanish InfluenzaFORT DODGE SOLDIER SECURES
GREAT RESULTS

Recent research shows that the Span-
ish Influenza germ and the germ of
La Grippe are much alike. A remedy
which helps one will help the other.
For years La Grippe has been relieved
by grandmother's old-fashioned cold
remedy of goose grease and turpentine.
Science has improved this time-tried
home remedy. The modern MEN-THO-
EZE contains not only goose grease
and turpentine, but also Menthol, Win-
tergreen and other healing oils, whose
fumes inhaled, BRING RELIEF IN
TWENTY MINUTES. A cold is broken
over night.

MEN-THO-EZE has proven wonder-
fully effective in treating Spanish In-
fluenza. It quickly relieves the sneezing,
the racking cough and the inflammation
in the chest and throat. Read this let-
ter from Private A. F. Buckles, son of
W. H. Buckles of Fort Dodge, Iowa:

Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.
"I beg to state that during my recent
siege of Spanish Influenza I used MEN-
THO-EZE with very satisfactory re-
sults. Please accept my thanks for
your kindness."

Spanish Influenza is still with us.
Take no chances. If you have a boy in
the service, send him a jar of MEN-
THO-EZE. Also keep a jar at home.
Use it at the first sign of cough or cold.
In opal jars, 30c and 60c.
Mfd. by "Men-Tho-Eze"—Fort Dodge,
Ia.

For sale by the following druggists:
Sterling's Pharmacy.
Rowland Bros.
Thomas Sullivan.
Public Drug and Book Co.

ABE MARTIN

Representative Kahn
Arrives in France

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 20.—Representative
Kahn, of California, landed at Brest
yesterday from the United States and
reached Paris today.

This morning Paris newspaper errone-
ously announced the arrival at Brest
of Secretary of War Baker, who is still
in the United States. An investigation
disclosed that he probably had been
confused by the correspondents with
Representative Kahn.

Steel Agreement May
Be Reached By Night

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 20.—Conference
between representatives of the steel in-
dustry and the industrial board of the
department of commerce were con-
tinued today with a probability that an
agreement might be reached on a basis
for stabilization of the steel trade be-
fore the end of the day.

PAY ASSESSMENTS
BEFORE APRIL 1

City Clerk Blake C. Grover calls at-
tention to the fact that now is the time
for the payment of the special assess-
ments. These will be payable up until
the last of this month after which a
penalty will be attached. Persons hav-
ing assessments against them are re-
quested to make payment before the
close of the month in order to evade the
additional penalty.

NOTICE.

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Methodists Vote on
Moving Wesleyan U

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Decatur, Ill., March 20.—Two hun-
dred Methodist ministers are meeting
here today to vote on the location of Il-
linois Wesleyan university. Wesleyan
is now located at Bloomington, but an
entirely new set of buildings are to be
erected and both Bloomington and
Springfield are bidding for it. Today's
vote of the ministers is expected to
have a strong influence on the college
trustees in making their final decision.

Ogle County Schools
in Oratorical Meet

High schools of Ogle county will
have an oratorical contest at Polo on
March 28, when a program of debates,
reading, speaking and oratory will be
put on. One hundred students will be
entered in the different events.

Purse Collected for
Victim of Robbery

People of Ashton have collected a
sum of \$257 which has been given to
C. E. Sandrock, jeweler, whose place
of business was entered a week ago and
burglarized of goods valued at \$1,500.

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civil engineer, was here today looking
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Twelve Times (two weeks)	\$1.25
(5c for each additional word)	
Twenty-six Times (one month)	\$2.25
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Reading Notices, per line	.10
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WANTED

VANTED—We secured a large contract for furs, 5,000 skunks and 25,000 muskrats, also a quantity of all kinds of furs of this sector. In order to fill his contract, we will pay highest prices or all your furs. Do not miss this opportunity and give us a trial. We also handle all kinds of junk and hides. S. & W. Weinman, River St., Dixon, Ill. 65t

VANTED—We are ready to hang wall paper, kalsomine, or paint your rooms. Quick service. Work guaranteed. Call phone K398 after 6 o'clock or noon. J. W. Huggins & Son, 809 S. Ottawa Ave. 6324.

VANTED TO BUY—Wagon with double box and horse weighing about 1,000 lbs. Phone 26400. 6216*

VANTED—Painting and paper hanging. Fred Fuellsack. Phone Y304. 64112*

VANTED—Cisterns to clean and repair. Leave orders at Lee Plant. phone 388. 6513*

VANTED—Furnished room, centrally located, with modern conveniences. Address Box 22, Dixon. 6613

VANTED—Second-hand safe and show case. Address W. care this office. 6513

VANTED—Oat straw. Phone 364. Public Supply company. 6613

VANTED—Young puppy, fox terrier preferred. Telephone rural, 6300. 6413

VANTED—Barley and oats for feed. Call X31. O. L. Baird. 6414

VANTED—A maid at the Dixon Public Hospital. 631f

HELP WANTED

VANTED—At once, middle-aged woman to keep house on farm for one widower. Write Box 12, Route 1, Ashton, Ill. 6116

VANTED—Reliable middle-aged woman to do housework in good home, with board and room provided, also weekly sum. Apply at once. Telephone 721. 6414

VANTED—Girls; steady employment, good working conditions and good wages. Apply at once. Borden's Condensed Milk Co. 2674

VANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. E. D. Alexander, 100 Dement Ave. 6515

VANTED—Competent girl for housework in country. Address ZW this week. 6513

VANTED—A single man to work on the farm by the month or year. Call one 61140. 6613*

VANTED—Second girl. Apply to Mrs. J. McAlpine, 204 Ottawa Ave. 151f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A No. 1 520-acre stock and grain farm with two sets of improvements in good locality 3 miles from town, listed at a sacrifice price produce immediate results. This one of the best stock farms in eastern Iowa and a money-maker at a gain price if sold at once. Price \$40 or \$150 per acre with horses, mules, tools, etc. E. Gilmore, Montrose, Iowa. 54-t12

FOR SALE—Single Combed Rhode Island Red eggs from high scoring hens, contains pullets which score 92 and 96; also had the first prize in a class of 16 at the Ashton poultry show, in this pen \$3.50 for can fill orders at once. Special price on 100 eggs. Call B. G. Yenich, Ashton, Ill., or phone X223, Dixon, Ill. 55t

FOR SALE—A real 3-year-old black draft colt. A span of mules at a gain, \$125 for pair, well broke, for anybod. 2 fine heifers. J. Becker, Route 2, Sterling, Ill. 55-t12*

FOR SALE—Evergreen Hill Farm Barred Rock eggs; Carleson Pullet and Sibley Cockerel Strain. Pens \$3.50 for \$6.00 for 30. Range \$1.50 for 15. 50 per hundred. Prepaid. Wm. W. Eppert, Dixon, Ill. R. 8. Phone 3220. 6518

FOR SALE—Alsike Clover Seed. I am looking orders. Have a choice lot of Alsike Clover for spring delivery. Polo no 812R2. Henry Stahler, Polo, Ill. 60124*

FOR SALE—Farms FOR SALE

55 acres, 4 miles from Dixon; fair improvements; good soil; \$225 per acre.

58 acres 2 1/2 miles from Dixon; well improved. Fine home. Price \$250 per acre.

5 acres, good improvements, located 6 miles from Dixon. Price \$3,000.00.

FOR SALE—All kinds of household goods and one piano, on Monday, March 24th. Sale to commence at 1 p.m. Gertrude Gaynor, 524 Madison Ave. 66141

FOR SALE—8 room modern house, 403 Everett St., cor. lot 75x150. Located at house or at W. S. Leslie's 66141

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Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1919.

JOHN H. DINGES,
Administrator.

HARRY EDWARDS,
Attorney.

Mar. 6-13-20

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bridge Construction in the Town of Palmyra.

Sealed bids for the construction of a 30-foot steel bridge of I-beam type, with concrete walls and floor, in the River Rock, between the N. W. 1/4 and the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. No. 9, said Town, being 5 1/2 miles from Dixon, will be received by the undersigned, at the office of the Co. Supt. of Highways, Lee County Court House, Dixon, Ill., up to the hour of 11 a.m., Monday Mar. 31, 1919, and will then and there be publicly opened and declared.

Quantities: Approximately 11,500 lbs structural steel; 1865 lbs. reinforcing bars; 47 cu. yds. concrete in walls; 7 cu. yds. concrete in floor. Satisfactory gravel at hand.

Bids will be received separately on the walls and the superstructure. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the said Supt. Certified check for \$100 to accompany each bid. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

L. B. Neighbour Co. Supt. Highways, John P. Drew, Supervisor Palmyra, Martin H. Lenox, Com'r of Highway, Co. Aid Bridge Committee.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bridge Work in the Town of Willow Creek.

Sealed bids for the improvement of the walls and for the construction thereon of a 32-foot steel bridge, of I-beam type, with concrete floor, over the East Fork of Willow Creek, in the public highway between Sec. No. 20 and Sec. No. 21, said Town, being about 2 1/2 miles S. E. of the station of Willow Creek, C. M. & St. P. Ry. will be received by the undersigned, at the office of the Co. Supt. of Highways, Lee Co. Court House, Dixon, Ill., up to the hour of 2 p. m., Monday, Mar. 31, 1919, and will then and there be publicly opened and declared.

42 cu. yds. of concrete in the walls. Satisfactory gravel near at hand.

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L. B. Neighbour Co. Supt. Highways, Jos. A. Miller, Supervisor Willow Creek, H. L. Rhoads, Com'r of Highways, Co. Aid Bridge Committee.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Notice is Herby Given

To the citizens, legal voters of the Town of Dixon in the County of Lee, State of Illinois, that the Annual Town Meeting and Election for said Town will be held at Office of Reynolds' Wire Mill, 1st Precinct; Wilson's Garage, 2nd Precinct; City Building, 3rd Precinct; Rink's Coal Office, 5th Precinct; Public Supply Co., 6th Precinct; Wool's Coal Office, 7th Precinct; Fink's Restaurant, 8th Precinct; Dach's Store, 9th Precinct; Anderson's Shop, 10th Precinct; Raymond's Coal Office, 11th Precinct; in said Town, on Tuesday, the First Day of April Next being the first Tuesday of the month for the purposes following, viz:

To elect One Supervisor for two years (who shall be ex-officio Overseer of the Poor), One Assistant Supervisor for two years.

At the hour of 2 p. m. of said day the Electors of said Town will meet in City Building to transact the miscellaneous business of the Town, and to act upon any additional subjects, which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened.

Post will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and close at five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand at Dixon this 19th day of March A. D. 1919.

H. A. ROE.

Mar. 7-14-21

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary Gruss, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Gruss, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Lee County, at the court house in Dixon, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1919.

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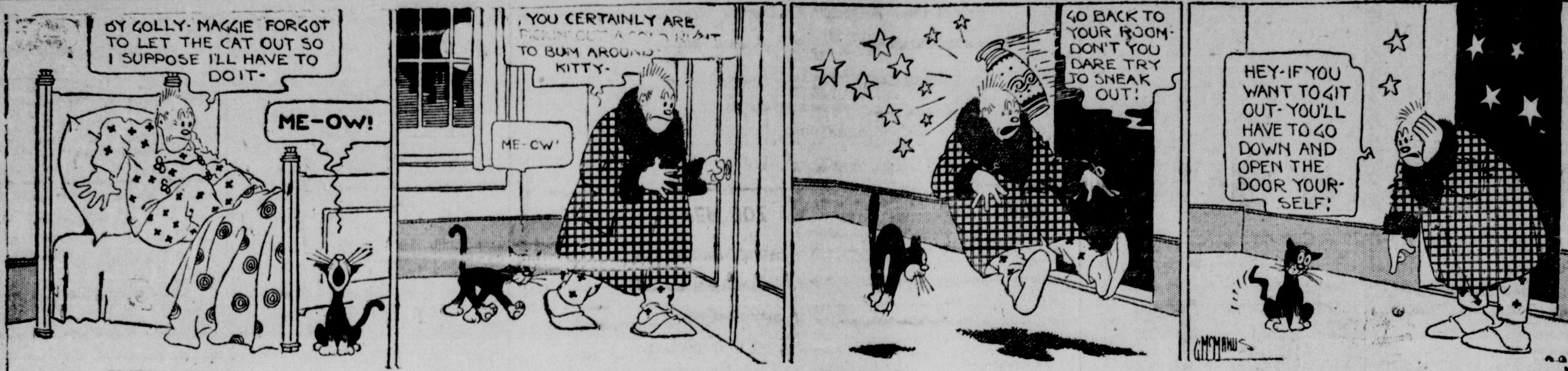
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BRINGING UP FATHER

BY GEORGE M'MANUS

Today's Market Report
(By Associated Press Leased Wire)

ARGENTINE CORN EXPORTS CAUSED BEARISH FEELING

By Associated Press

Chicago, March 20.—Greatly increased shipments from Argentina together with larger domestic rural offerings had a decided bearish effect today on corn. Argentine exports of corn during the last week were estimated as five times heavier than that for the previous week or for a year ago. Commission houses sold freely, and there was said to be much re-selling of cash corn in the east. Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 1c lower, with May \$1.42 1/2 to \$1.43 and July \$1.34 1/2 to \$1.34 1/4 were followed by material setbacks all around, although transient rallies intervened.

Oats followed corn, but showed more resistance to pressure. After opening unchanged to 1/4c off, with May \$6 3/4 to 63/4c the market underwent a moderate further sag.

Provisions weakened with corn. Support was lacking.

Later the market took an upward swing, helped by export demand for rye and barley. The close was unsettled, net lower to 1/4c advance, with May \$1.43 1/2 to \$1.44 1/4 and July \$1.35 1/4 to \$1.35 1/2.

COTTON CROP LARGE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, D. C., March 20.—Final statistics on the 1918 cotton crop announced today by the census bureau in its last beginning report, place production at 11,886,138 running bales, or 12,022,601 equivalent 500-pound bales, both exclusive of linters.

Chicago Future Quotations

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Open High Low Close
CORN—
May 1.42 1/4 1.44 1/4 1.40 1/4 1.43 1/4
July 1.34 1/4 1.35 1/4 1.32 1.35 1/4
OATS—
May 64 1/4 66 1/4 63 1/4 65 1/4
July 63 1/4 65 1/4 62 1/4 64 1/4
PORK—
May 45.65 45.75 45.25 45.35
July 42.65 42.75 42.30 42.40
LARD—
May 28.05 28.25 28.00 28.10
July 27.50 27.62 27.40 27.50
RIBS—
May 25.20 25.27 25.07 25.15
July 23.97 24.12 23.92 24.00

Chicago Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, March 20.—Corn No. 3 yellow \$1.52@ \$1.53; No. 4 yellow \$1.48@ \$1.50; No. 5 yellow \$1.45@ \$1.46 1/2. Oats No. 3 white 63 1/2@ 65 1/2c. Standard 65 1/2c.

Rye No. 2, \$1.64@ \$1.64 1/2.

Barley 95c@ \$1.04.

Timothy \$7.00@ \$10.00.

Clover nominal.

Pork Nominal.

Lard \$28.35.

Ribs nominal.

Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Ill., March 20.—U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Hogs receipts 33,000; market fully steady with yesterday's close. Bulk of sales, \$19.35@ \$19.70; heavy weight, \$19.65@ \$19.80; medium weight, \$19.50@ \$19.70; light weight, \$18.85@ \$19.65; light, \$17.50@ \$18.75; sows, \$17.25@ \$19.00; pigs, \$16.75@ \$17.50.

Cattle receipts, 15,000; choice butcher stock and best steers steady; others

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East St. Louis Horses.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

East St. Louis, March 20—Horses and mules unchanged.

Wall Street Close.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

American Beet Sugar 74 1/2%.

American Can 48.

American Smelting & Refining 67 1/2%.

Anaconda Copper 60 1/2%.

Atchison 92.

Baldwin Locomotive 87 1/2%.

Baltimore & Ohio 48 1/2%.

Bethlehem Steel "B" 65 1/2%.

Canadian Pacific 169 1/2%.

Central Leather 71 1/2%.

Chesapeake & Ohio 58 1/2%.

Chicago, Mill & St. Paul 37 1/2%.

Corn Products 54 1/2%.

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Int. Mer. Marine Pfd. 111.
Kennewick Copper 29 1/2.
Maxwell Motor Co. 36.
New York Central 75.
Northern Pacific 92 1/2.
Ohio Cities Gas 49 1/2.
Pennsylvania 4.
Reading 84 1/2.
Southern Pacific 101 1/2.
Southern Railway 28 1/2.
Studebaker Co. 61 1/2.
Union Pacific 128 1/2.
United States Steel 94 1/2.
Willys-Overland 28 1/2.
Sinclair Oil 43 1/2.
American Sumatra 112 1/2.
American Car & Foundry 89 1/2.

New York Liberty Bonds

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, March 20.—(Liberty Bond Closing)—Final prices were: 3 1/2s \$99.04; first 4s \$94.24; second 4s \$93.74; first 4 1/4s \$94.24; second 4 1/4s \$93.74; third 4 1/4s \$95.00; fourth 4 1/4s \$93.78.

Local Markets.

Editor's Note—Because the quotations furnished by the various merchants of Dixon do not coincide, the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seems most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Oats—white 57; Mixed 55
Corn 1.30 to 1.40

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Dairy Butter .50 .60
Creamery Butter .65 .65
Lard .25 .30
Eggs .32 .38
Potatoes 1.00 to 1.40

LIVE POULTRY

Springers 22
Light hens 20
Heavy hens 22
Old roosters 14
Ducks, white Pekin 17
Indian Runner Ducks 10
Muscovy Ducks 15
Geese 15
Turkeys 20
Old Tom Turkeys 18

MARCH MILK PRICE

March milk price, \$3.00 per hundred pounds for a 3.5 butter fat. Increase or

Staples, Moyer & Schumm

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Office phone 676 311 First St.

Res. phones — Staples K-1181;

Moyer K-561; Schumm Y-769.

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No. 3 Cans, Tomatoes per can 19c

Red Kidney Beans per can 14c

Bread, per loaf .9c

Small Hebe Milk, per can .5c

Fancy Seeded Raisins, per plkg. 11c

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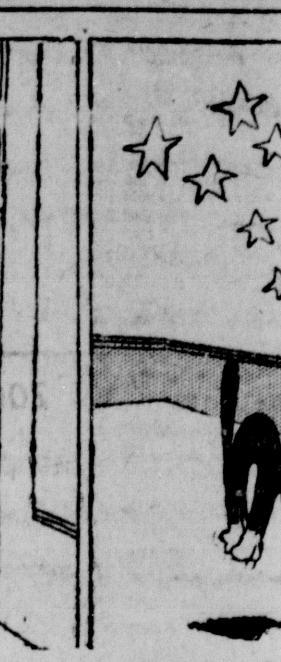
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decrease of 4 cents per point for milk testing above or below that basis.

Mrs. Nathan Burhenn was a today's shopper in Franklin Grove.

Edward Zoeller made a business trip to Chicago this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hodges were here yesterday from Ambey.

Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Connors, all of Polo, were in Dixon today.

Lee Hill, of Route 3, was in town today.

E. H. Shawger, of Palmyra, was here Wednesday.

Earl Steiging leaves today for Ft. Dodge, Ia., where he is to be employed.

Twigg, bookkeeper, will be employed at the Reynolds Wire company, and Miss Edith Missman has accepted a position with the Musicnote Roll company.

noon was several inches lower than it was yesterday.

New Window Placed—A new plate glass window was placed at the Seybert place, one mile south of Dixon, a load of choice fresh cows and close springers. Also some stockers. Gilmore & Seybert.

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COW SALE

We will have for sale Saturday at the

Seybert place, one mile south of Dixon,

a load of choice fresh cows and close

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NOTICE

Having disposed of my General Store

I wish to close up all affairs in connection therewith and therefore ask all those who are indebted to me to call at my office as soon as possible and pay their accounts. F. L. Oster, West Brooklyn, III.